## **ABSTRACT**

Monoazo based yellow pigment compositions for image recording that are suitable as a well-balanced yellow coloring agent for image recording with favorable reproducibility of images and image retaining capacity, which is inexpensive and excellent in safety are provided. Provided is a yellow pigment composition for image recording which includes a monoazo yellow base pigment represented by the general formula (1):

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$$R^{2} \longrightarrow \begin{array}{c} R^{1} & COCH_{3} & R^{3} \\ -N = N - CHCONH \longrightarrow \begin{array}{c} R^{3} \\ R^{5} \end{array}$$
 (1)

, and a particular disazo yellow pigment having a sulfonic acid group and/or a particular monoazo yellow pigment.